

## STATE OF NEVADA

## DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

CARSON CITY, NEVADA 89710
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Art Aten Star Route, Antelope Valley Battle Mountain, Nevada 89820

Dear Mr. Aten:

Enclosed is a copy of the latest "Pesticide Container Disposal Site Inspection Report" for the Antelope Valley site. As you can see from the inspection form, the site was in the same condition as it was in August. Judging from the site appearance, it appears as though the site has been abandoned. If the site has been abandoned then it may be necessary to close the site.

In order for the Division to make future decisions regarding the Antelope Valley site it is necessary to at least answer the following questions:

- 1. Has the Antelope Valley site been abandoned?
- 2. Is another site being utilized to dispose of pesticide containers?
- 3. Where are pesticide containers being disposed if they are not going to the site?
- 4. What are the ramifications of closing the site?
- 5. If locals want to keep the site open, who will be the responsible party for site operation?

It would be my pleasure to meet with you, Ken Carper or other interested individuals concerning this problem. At your conveniance, could you please drop me a note regarding a possible meeting date so that we can discuss the above problems or any others? Thanks for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Frank J. Luchetti Hazardous Waste Management Specialist

## PESTICIDE CONTAINER DISPOSAL SITE INSPECTION FORM

Site Name Probelate Valley Date 1/17/78
County Location Melaje Valley
Responsible Entity Entity Representative Novy
Equipment on site // one
Witnessed by June Lucketti
METHOD OF OPERATION
ACESSIBILITY (X) Acceptable ( ) Unacceptable
Are roads acceptable leading to site?   Litter cleaned?   Maintained?   Safe?   Remarks
WATER POLLUTION ( Acceptable ( ) Unacceptable  Is site in apparent stream or runoff channel? // Evidence of flooding or erosion in disposal area? // Remarks_
AIR POLLUTION  ( ) Acceptable ( ) Unacceptable  Is site burning?   Does fire hazard appear to exist?   Any evidence of fires?   Remarks
COVERING CONTROL ( ) Acceptable ( X) Unacceptable  Estimated date of last covering  Is open face kept to a minimum?  Cover depth?  None (24" required)
Remarks (24 required)
PROTECTIVE FENCING:  Acceptable ( ) Unacceptable  Area fenced
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DRAIN SUMP	( ) Acceptable ( ) Unacceptable
Within fenced area?	u.l
ft. wide	ft. long ft. deep
Remarks	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
OTHER FACILITIES	( ) Acceptable ( ) Unacceptable
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Safety equipment and clot	ft. wide 8 ft. long
	Hone
	<pre>     Mater supply?</pre>
SALVAGE OPERATIONS A.	( ) Acceptable ( ) Unacceptable
Remarks	
Items needing immediate a	ttention
Estimated date for follow Copy of report given/sent Inspected by	
Y = Yes N. Obs. = N = No or none Picture no	